



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 9418**  
Yoshihisa YAMASHITA et al. : Docket No. 2001-1854A  
Serial No. 10/026,522 : Group Art Unit 2827  
Filed December 27, 2001 : Examiner D. Zarneke

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THERMALLY CONDUCTIVE SUBSTRATE

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
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ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

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**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

*Responsive to the Office Action of September 5, 2003, a petition for a one month extension of time being filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows.*